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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A
FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (IF KNOWN)

NOT APPLICABLE

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.
PCT/FR2005/000377INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE
February 17, 2005PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
February 18, 2004

TITLE OF INVENTION

GOLD- AND REDUCIBLE OXIDE-BASED COMPOSITION, METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION AND
THE USE THEREOF IN THE FORM OF A CATALYST, IN PARTICULAR FOR CARBON MONOXIDE
OXIDATION

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US:

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Applicant herewith submits the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and 24 indicated below.
4. ☒ The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c) (2))
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☒ has been communicated by the International bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☒ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☒ is attached hereto.
 - b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). "Signed" or "Unsigned"
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).
11. ☐ A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).
12. ☒ A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210)

Items 13 to 18 below concern document(s) or information included:

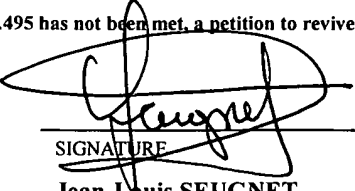
13. ☐ An information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
14. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
15. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
16. ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
17. ☐ A substitute specification.
18. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
19. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.
20. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
21. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
22. ☒ Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail.
23. ☒ Other items or information:
 - ☐ Form PCT/IB/308 ☐ Form PCT/IB/332 ☒ Form PCT/ISA/210 French version ☒ Form PCT/ISA/210 English Version
 - ☐ PCT/ISA/237
 - ☒ PCT/FR2005/000377 as published

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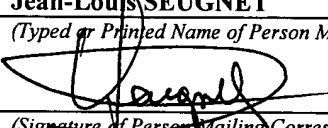
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